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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 3, 2003 (Paper No. 8), please amend the above-identified U.S. Patent Application as follows:

In the Specification

Page 4, line 15

Figure 2 shows the mitt 10 covering a typical brush 11 used at a vehicle wash facility such as a self-service car wash. The mitt 10 is secured over the brush 11 by use of VELCRO straps 12 that are sewn into the material of the mitt 10. The mitt 10 is preferably made from a sheet-like material having two surfaces on which one surface is made up of soft fibers and the other surface is smooth. Examples of such material are sherpa or sheepskin. Sherpa is considered advantageous because it is better able to endure repeated us and exposure to an outside environment than sheepskin. Various grades of sherpa are contemplated for use in the invention, for example 60 oz. sherpa, although heavier or lighter grades of sherpa are also